

**PHY 711 Classical Mechanics and
Mathematical Methods**

10-10:50 AM MWF in Olin 103

Notes for Lecture 29 -- Chap. 9 in F & W

Introduction to hydrodynamics

- 1. Newton's laws for fluids and the continuity equation**
- 2. Approximate solutions in the linear limit**

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In this lecture, we will continue our discussion of hydrodynamics which is presented in Chapter 9 of your textbook. The focus will be on treating the equations in the linear regime.

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Continue reading Chapter 9 in **Fetter & Walecka**.

1. Using the analysis covered in class, estimate the speed of sound in the fluid of He gas at 1 atmosphere of pressure and at 300K temperature.

Recall the basic equations of hydrodynamics

Basic variables: Density $\rho(\mathbf{r}, t)$

Velocity $\mathbf{v}(\mathbf{r}, t)$

Pressure $p(\mathbf{r}, t)$

Newton-Euler equation of motion:

$$\frac{\partial \mathbf{v}}{\partial t} + (\mathbf{v} \cdot \nabla) \mathbf{v} = \mathbf{f}_{\text{applied}} - \frac{\nabla p}{\rho}$$

Continuity equation: $\frac{\partial \rho}{\partial t} + \nabla \cdot (\rho \mathbf{v}) = 0$

+ relationships among the variables due to principles of thermodynamics due to the particular fluid (In fact, we will focus on an ideal gas.)

Review of the basic equations of hydrodynamics.

$$\frac{\partial \mathbf{v}}{\partial t} + \nabla \left(\frac{1}{2} v^2 \right) - \mathbf{v} \times (\nabla \times \mathbf{v}) = \mathbf{f}_{\text{applied}} - \frac{\nabla p}{\rho}$$

At the moment we are interested in the case where there is no heat exchange.

First law of thermodynamics: $dE_{\text{int}} = dQ - dW$

$$dE_{\text{int}} = -dW = -pdV$$

Here W == work
 V == volume


Solution of Euler's equation for fluids – isentropic (continued)

$$dE_{\text{int}} = -dW = -pdV$$

In terms of mass density: $\rho = \frac{M}{V}$

For fixed M and variable V : $d\rho = -\frac{M}{V^2}dV$

$$dV = -\frac{M}{\rho^2}d\rho$$

In terms in intensive variables: Let $E_{\text{int}} = M\varepsilon$  Internal energy per unit mass

$$dE_{\text{int}} = Md\varepsilon = -dW = -pdV = M \frac{p}{\rho^2}d\rho$$

$$d\varepsilon = \frac{p}{\rho^2}d\rho \quad \left(\frac{\partial \varepsilon}{\partial \rho} \right)_{dQ=0} = \frac{p}{\rho^2}$$

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Solution of Euler's equation for fluids – isentropic (continued)

$$\left(\frac{\partial \varepsilon}{\partial \rho}\right)_{dQ=0} = \frac{p}{\rho^2}$$

Note: Under conditions of constant entropy, we assume e can be expressed in terms of the density alone.

$$\text{Consider: } \nabla \varepsilon = \left(\frac{\partial \varepsilon}{\partial \rho}\right)_{dQ=0} \nabla \rho = \frac{p}{\rho^2} \nabla \rho$$

$$\text{Rearranging: } \nabla \left(\varepsilon + \frac{p}{\rho} \right) = \frac{\nabla p}{\rho}$$

Solution of Euler's equation for fluids – isentropic (continued)

$$\frac{\partial \mathbf{v}}{\partial t} + \nabla \left(\frac{1}{2} v^2 \right) - \mathbf{v} \times (\nabla \times \mathbf{v}) = \mathbf{f}_{\text{applied}} - \frac{\nabla p}{\rho}$$

$$\frac{\nabla p}{\rho} = \nabla \left(\varepsilon + \frac{p}{\rho} \right)$$

if $\nabla \times \mathbf{v} = 0 \quad \rightarrow \quad \mathbf{v} = -\nabla \Phi \quad \mathbf{f}_{\text{applied}} = -\nabla U$

$$\frac{\partial(-\nabla \Phi)}{\partial t} + \nabla \left(\frac{1}{2} v^2 \right) = -\nabla U - \nabla \left(\varepsilon + \frac{p}{\rho} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \nabla \left(\varepsilon + \frac{p}{\rho} + U + \frac{1}{2} v^2 - \frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial t} \right) = 0 \quad \text{For isentropic irrotation fluid.}$$

Some details --

$$(\nabla \times \mathbf{v}) = 0 \quad \text{"irrotational flow"} \quad \Rightarrow \mathbf{v} = -\nabla \Phi$$

$$\text{Check: } (\nabla \times \mathbf{v}) = -(\nabla \times \nabla \Phi) = ?$$

$$(\nabla \times \nabla \Phi)|_x = \frac{\partial^2 \Phi}{\partial y \partial z} - \frac{\partial^2 \Phi}{\partial z \partial x}$$

Summary: For isentropic and irrotational fluid with internal energy per unit mass ε :

$$\nabla \left(\varepsilon + \frac{p}{\rho} + U + \frac{1}{2} v^2 - \frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial t} \right) = 0$$

Here ε is the internal energy of the fluid per unit mass. For an ideal gas fluid, it has a relatively simple form.

Now consider the fluid to be air near equilibrium

Near equilibrium:

$$\rho = \rho_0 + \delta\rho$$

ρ_0 represents the average air density

$$p = p_0 + \delta p$$

p_0 represents the average air pressure
(usually ≈ 1 atmosphere)

$$\mathbf{v} = 0 + \delta\mathbf{v}$$

$\mathbf{v}_0 = 0$ average velocity

$$\mathbf{f}_{\text{applied}} = 0$$

Now consider air as the fluid near equilibrium with small fluctuations represented by the delta notation

Equations to lowest order in perturbation:

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial \mathbf{v}}{\partial t} + (\mathbf{v} \cdot \nabla) \mathbf{v} &= \mathbf{f}_{\text{applied}} - \frac{\nabla p}{\rho} & \Rightarrow & \quad \frac{\partial \delta \mathbf{v}}{\partial t} = -\frac{\nabla \delta p}{\rho_0} \\ \frac{\partial \rho}{\partial t} + \nabla \cdot (\rho \mathbf{v}) &= 0 & \Rightarrow & \quad \frac{\partial \delta \rho}{\partial t} + \rho_0 \nabla \cdot \delta \mathbf{v} = 0\end{aligned}$$

In terms of the velocity potential :

$$\delta \mathbf{v} = -\nabla \Phi$$

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial \delta \mathbf{v}}{\partial t} &= -\frac{\nabla \delta p}{\rho_0} & \Rightarrow & \quad \nabla \left(-\frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial t} + \frac{\delta p}{\rho_0} \right) = 0 \\ \frac{\partial \delta \rho}{\partial t} + \rho_0 \nabla \cdot \delta \mathbf{v} &= 0 & \Rightarrow & \quad \frac{\partial \delta \rho}{\partial t} - \rho_0 \nabla^2 \Phi = 0\end{aligned}$$

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Coupled equations.

Expressing pressure in terms of the density assuming constant entropy:

$$p = p(s, \rho) = p_0 + \delta p \quad \text{where } s \text{ denotes the (constant) entropy}$$

$$p_0 = p(s, \rho_0)$$

$$\delta p = \left(\frac{\partial p}{\partial \rho} \right)_s \delta \rho \equiv c^2 \delta \rho \quad \text{Here} \quad c^2 = \left(\frac{\partial p}{\partial \rho} \right)_s$$

$$\nabla \left(-\frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial t} + \frac{\delta p}{\rho_0} \right) = 0 \quad \Rightarrow \quad -\frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial t} + c^2 \frac{\delta \rho}{\rho_0} = (\text{constant})$$

$$\Rightarrow -\frac{\partial^2 \Phi}{\partial t^2} + \frac{c^2}{\rho_0} \frac{\partial \delta \rho}{\partial t} = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial \delta \rho}{\partial t} - \rho_0 \nabla^2 \Phi = 0 \quad \Rightarrow \quad \frac{\partial^2 \Phi}{\partial t^2} - c^2 \nabla^2 \Phi = 0$$

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Decoupling the equations in the velocity potential and the density fluctuation.

Wave equation for air :

$$\frac{\partial^2 \Phi}{\partial t^2} - c^2 \nabla^2 \Phi = 0$$

Here, $c^2 = \left(\frac{\partial p}{\partial \rho} \right)_s$

$$\mathbf{v} = -\nabla \Phi$$

Boundary values:

Impenetrable surface with normal $\hat{\mathbf{n}}$ moving at velocity \mathbf{V} :

$$\hat{\mathbf{n}} \cdot \mathbf{V} = \hat{\mathbf{n}} \cdot \delta \mathbf{v} = -\hat{\mathbf{n}} \cdot \nabla \Phi$$

Free surface:

$$\delta p = 0 \quad \Rightarrow \quad \rho_0 \frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial t} = 0$$

Note that, we also have :

$$\frac{\partial^2 \delta \rho}{\partial t^2} - c^2 \nabla^2 \delta \rho = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 \delta p}{\partial t^2} - c^2 \nabla^2 \delta p = 0$$

The decoupled equation is a wave equation in the velocity potential, density fluctuation, and pressure fluctuation variables.

Analysis of wave velocity in an ideal gas:

$$c^2 = \left(\frac{\partial p}{\partial \rho} \right)_s$$

Equation of state for ideal gas:

$$pV = NkT \qquad N = \frac{M}{M_0}$$

$$p = \frac{M}{V} \frac{k}{M_0} T = \rho \frac{k}{M_0} T$$

$$k = 1.38 \times 10^{-23} \text{ J / K}$$

$$M_0 = \text{average mass of each molecule}$$

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Estimating the wave velocity for air assuming that it is an ideal gas.

Internal energy for ideal gas :

$$E = \frac{f}{2} NkT = M\varepsilon \quad \varepsilon = \frac{f}{2} \frac{k}{M_0} T = \frac{f}{2} \frac{p}{\rho}$$

In terms of specific heat ratio : $\gamma \equiv \frac{C_p}{C_v}$

$$dE = dQ - dW$$

$$C_v = \left(\frac{dQ}{dT} \right)_v = \left(\frac{\partial E}{\partial T} \right)_v = \frac{f}{2} \frac{Mk}{M_0}$$

$$C_p = \left(\frac{dQ}{dT} \right)_p = \left(\frac{\partial E}{\partial T} \right)_p + p \left(\frac{\partial V}{\partial T} \right)_p = \frac{f}{2} \frac{Mk}{M_0} + \frac{Mk}{M_0}$$

$$\gamma = \frac{C_p}{C_v} = \frac{\frac{f}{2} + 1}{\frac{f}{2}} \quad \Rightarrow \quad \frac{f}{2} = \frac{1}{\gamma - 1}$$

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Using the ideal gas law with f representing the degrees of freedom. It is convenient to replace the f with the gamma factor which can be measured experimentally.

Digression

Internal energy for ideal gas: $f \equiv$ "degrees of freedom"

$$E = \frac{f}{2} NkT = M\varepsilon \quad \varepsilon = \frac{f}{2} \frac{k}{M_0} T = \frac{f}{2} \frac{p}{\rho}$$

$$\frac{f}{2} = \frac{1}{\gamma - 1} \Rightarrow E = \frac{1}{\gamma - 1} NkT \quad \varepsilon = \frac{1}{\gamma - 1} \frac{k}{M_0} T = \frac{1}{\gamma - 1} \frac{p}{\rho}$$

	f	γ
Spherical atom	3	1.66667
Diatomic molecule	5	1.40000

Internal energy for ideal gas :

$$E = \frac{1}{\gamma - 1} NkT = M\varepsilon \quad \varepsilon = \frac{1}{\gamma - 1} \frac{k}{M_0} T = \frac{1}{\gamma - 1} \frac{p}{\rho}$$

Internal energy for ideal gas under isentropic conditions :

$$d\varepsilon = -\frac{p}{M} dV = \frac{p}{\rho^2} d\rho$$

$$\left(\frac{\partial \varepsilon}{\partial \rho} \right)_s = \frac{p}{\rho^2} = \frac{\partial}{\partial \rho} \left(\frac{1}{\gamma - 1} \frac{p}{\rho} \right)_s = \left(\frac{\partial p}{\partial \rho} \right)_s \frac{1}{(\gamma - 1)\rho} - \frac{p}{(\gamma - 1)\rho^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{\partial p}{\partial \rho} \right)_s = \frac{p\gamma}{\rho}$$

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Using the ideal gas law under isentropic conditions to derive the speed of sound.

Alternative derivation:

Isentropic or adiabatic equation of state:

$$\frac{dp}{p} = \gamma \frac{d\rho}{\rho} \quad \Rightarrow \quad \frac{p}{p_0} = \left(\frac{\rho}{\rho_0} \right)^\gamma$$

$$\left(\frac{\partial p}{\partial \rho} \right)_s = \frac{\gamma p}{\rho}$$

Linearized speed of sound

$$c_0^2 = \left(\frac{\partial p}{\partial \rho} \right)_{s, p_0, \rho_0} = \frac{\gamma p_0}{\rho_0}$$

$$c_0^2 \approx \frac{1.5 \cdot 1.013 \times 10^5 \text{ Pa}}{1.3 \text{ kg} / \text{m}^3} \quad c_0 \approx 340 \text{ m/s}$$

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Another analysis of the speed of sound.

Density dependence of speed of sound for ideal gas:

$$c^2 = \left(\frac{\partial p}{\partial \rho} \right)_s = \frac{\gamma p}{\rho}$$

$$\frac{p}{p_0} = \left(\frac{\rho}{\rho_0} \right)^\gamma$$

$$c^2 = \frac{p_0 \gamma}{\rho_0} \frac{p / p_0}{\rho / \rho_0} = c_0^2 \left(\frac{\rho}{\rho_0} \right)^{\gamma-1}$$

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Some details of the analysis reveal that beyond the linear approximation, the velocity of sound is highly non-linear.

Summary of linearized hydrodynamic equations for isentropic fluid

In terms of the velocity potential:

$$\delta \mathbf{v} = -\nabla \Phi \quad \frac{\partial^2 \Phi}{\partial t^2} - c_0^2 \nabla^2 \Phi = 0 \quad c_0^2 = \left(\frac{\partial p}{\partial \rho} \right)_{s, \rho_0}$$

In term of density fluctuation: $\frac{\partial^2 \delta \rho}{\partial t^2} - c_0^2 \nabla^2 \delta \rho = 0$

In term of pressure fluctuation: $\frac{\partial^2 \delta p}{\partial t^2} - c_0^2 \nabla^2 \delta p = 0$